

## A RIVER OF FIRE.

**Phenomenon at the Base of the Cumberland Mountains.—The Kentucky Burning Well—Old Shadrack's Cave.**

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In connection with the recent visit of the editor to this city, and the present existence of those who still live here, the existence of a great natural curiosity in this State is suggested, which has probably escaped their notice in their extensive tour. Kentucky and Indiana will be interested to learn as to other readers.

Some six miles east of Crab Orchard, in Lincoln County, there is a spring known as "the Burning Well," situated at the base of the Cumberland Mountains, and on the banks of a small stream called Dixie River. The water in this well is in a constant state of motion, and is always warm, being about 50° F. in the afternoon, overflows. A large quantity of gas is liberated, said to be carbonic acid gas, and is emitted from the well, creating a flame, estimated at fifteen feet in height, results. The only peculiar curious feature of this well is its unusual and unaccountable regularity, as there is no wind or current to move it, and it continues to burn day and night.

**ENVOLPE POLDERS.**—Wanted, several good men to work in the envolpe polders, situated in a valley near the Hudson River, and acquainted with running envelope machines. Apply to H. RAYNOV & CO., 111 Broadway.

**A PLAIN COOK wanted:** two girls to wash and dry clothes, and clean up house. Address to Mrs. J. A. TAYLOR, 125 West 3d st.

**EMPLOYEE WANTED:** for laundry, 150 Nassau street, between 2d and 3d sts. Apply to Mr. JOHN C. STONE, 122 Hudson st.

**PICTURE FRAMES wanted:** for Campbell & Ferguson, 6 Baxter st.

**SILVERSMITHS,** up makers, and smelters wanted, to work at Wm. M. CO., 181 Broad- way, New York.

**TAILOR'S** enters, makers, and others to have their wheels and scissors promptly and carefully ground and sharpened. Address to JOHN HENRY, 218 Fulton st., Brooklyn.

**FIRST-CLASS lamp wavers and a Lazarus wanted:** at 51st Street.

**CLOTHES.**—German girls, 15 to 18 years of age, to sew, &c. Apply to Mrs. A. JAHN, 182 South 5th st.

**LAZARUS** warned for cloth hat finishing; high prices paid; also girls to sew, at 460 1/2 5th st.

**RAHM & CO.** wanted.

**CHILD WANTED:** to learn to feed, punting, &c. Apply to 51 Fulton st.

**FAIR WORK.**—Experienced operators on white, red, and blue, and hand workers wanted; apply to Mrs. E. G. COOPER, 125 Hudson st.

**WANTED:** a good housewife and jobber, to go in the country; good wages and steady work. Inquire at the Washington Hotel, from 9 to 12 o'clock.

**HOLLINGSWORTH & LEEDS** 315 Broadway.

**OPERATORS** on Wilson & Gibbs' sewing machine wanted; Adel Hechtl, 54 Lexington st.

**THE CALKERS** and operators on the 2d fl., the 2d fl., and 3d fl., the 3d fl., the 4th fl., the 5th fl., the 6th fl., the 7th fl., the 8th fl., the 9th fl., the 10th fl., the 11th fl., the 12th fl., the 13th fl., the 14th fl., the 15th fl., the 16th fl., the 17th fl., the 18th fl., the 19th fl., the 20th fl., the 21st fl., the 22nd fl., the 23rd fl., the 24th fl., the 25th fl., the 26th fl., the 27th fl., the 28th fl., the 29th fl., the 30th fl., the 31st fl., the 32nd fl., the 33rd fl., the 34th fl., the 35th fl., the 36th fl., the 37th fl., the 38th fl., the 39th fl., the 40th fl., the 41st fl., the 42nd fl., the 43rd fl., the 44th fl., the 45th fl., the 46th fl., the 47th fl., the 48th fl., the 49th fl., the 50th fl., the 51st fl., the 52nd fl., the 53rd fl., the 54th fl., the 55th fl., the 56th fl., the 57th fl., the 58th fl., the 59th fl., the 60th fl., the 61st fl., the 62nd fl., the 63rd fl., the 64th fl., the 65th fl., the 66th fl., the 67th fl., the 68th fl., the 69th fl., 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